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Cover Coin

Mithradates VI, King of Pontus.

120-63 B.C. AR Attic Tetradrachm (16.76 gm).

Rec. gen. 15. Waddington 124. BMC 4.

Obverse: Head of Mithradates diademed r. with hair flowing. *The head on the coins of Mithradates VI is supposed by Visconti to be copied from a silver statue mentioned by Pliny (I. 33, XII. 54). The movement of the hair, blown back by the wind, seems to indicate that the original may have been either an equestrian statue or that of a charioteer.*

Reverse: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΜΙΘΡΑΔΑΤΟΥ ΕΥΠΑΤΟΡΟΣ (of King Mithradates, noble-born). Pegasus grazing left. In front, sun and crescent moon, the whole in wreath of ivy leaves and berries. *The 'crescent and star' was the family badge of the Pontic dynasty. The ivy-wreath adopted from the cistophori may allude to the title of the "new Dionysus", by which the cities of Asia hailed Mithradates as their deliverer from the tyranny of the Roman Rule.*

Mithradates, 68 or 69 years old at the time of his death, had reigned for 57 years, of which 25 had been occupied, with only a few brief intervals, in one continued struggle against Roman power. The estimation in which he was held by his adversaries is the strongest testimony to his great abilities: Cicero calls him the greatest of all kings after Alexander. In another passage he says that he was a more formidable opponent than any other monarch whom the Roman army had yet encountered.

A lovely specimen of fine style. Extremely Fine.

Price on request

GREEK SILVER

1. **Hispania, Osca.** AR Denarius (3.83 gm) 204-133 B.C. Male hd. with short beard r. Rev.: Horseman with lance galloping r.; below Iberian legend. Forrer 99. *Extremely Fine* 250.
2. **Calabria, Tarentum.** AR Didrachm (6.36 gm) Roman Alliance 272-235 B.C. Naked horseman galloping r., holding lance. In field to l. ΔΙ, beneath horse ΑΠΟΛ-ΑΩΝΙΟΣ. Rev.: Taras std. 1. on dolphin, crowned by Nike 1., waves beneath. In field to r., [ΤΑΡΑΣ]. Vlasto 898v. *nearly Very Fine* 175.
3. **Bruttium, Croton.** AR Stater (6.41 gm) ca. 500 B.C. Tripod-lebes having three handles, stork 1. in field to r. ΦΡΟ, raised dotted border. Rev: ΦΡΟ ΨΟΤ. Similar type in incuse, border of radiating lines. BMC 10. Some reverse corrosion. Flan slightly chipped, otherwise *nice Very Fine* 400.
4. **Sicily, Syracuse.** AR 16 Litrae (14.03 gm) Hieron II 274-216 B.C. Struck in the name of Queen Philistis. Veiled and diademed head of Philistis l. Rev: ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΑΣ/ΦΙΛΙΣΤΙΔΟΣ. Nike driving slow quadriga r., in front, K. Of fine style. Rev. somewhat double struck. BMC 555. *about Extremely Fine* 1750.
5. **Kings of Macedon, Alexander III.** AR Drachm of Colophon (4.31 gm) 336-323 B.C. Head of young Herakles r., wearing lion's skin. Rev: ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΤ to r. of Zeus who is std. 1. on throne, holds eagle and sceptre. Thompson-Bellinger YCS XIV, p. 291. *Superb* 250.
6. —, **Philip III.** AR Drachm of Sardes (4.28 gm) ca. 323-319 B.C. Hd. of Herakles r., wearing lion's skin. Rev: ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΤ to r. of Zeus who is std. 1. on throne and holding eagle and sceptre. Torch & TI. SNG Cop 1092. *Fleur de coin* 450.
7. **Kingdom of Paeonia, Patraus.** AR Tetradrachm (12.27 gm) 340-315 B.C. Hd. of Apollo laur. r. Rev: ΠΑΤΡΑΟΥ Horseman r., spearing prostrate enemy. Sotheby Paeonian Hoard, No. 439. *Very Fine/About Very Fine* 250.
8. **Kings of Thrace, Lysimachus.** AR Drachm of Ephesus (4.25 gm) 294-287 B.C. Hd. of deified Alexander r., wearing horn of Ammon. Rev: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ. Helmeted Athena std. 1., holding Nike and resting elbow on shield; in field to l., bee. Reverse graffito. Of fine style. Bold relief. Thompson 168. *Very Fine Plus* 600.
9. **Acarnania, Anactorium.** AR Stater (8.56 gm) ca. 350-300 B.C. Pegasus, with pointed wing, flying 1. VA below. Rev: Hd. of Athena l., wearing Corinthian helmet. To the right: A and Σ within wreath. Small bankers mark on helmet. Cf. BMC 40. *Very Fine/Fine* 165.
10. **Attica, Athens.** AR Tetradrachm (16.89 gm). After 449 B.C. Hd. of Athena r., wearing crested helmet adorned with olive leaves and floral ornaments. Rev: ΑΘΕ Owl r., hd. facing and wings closed.; behind, spray of olive and crescent, all within incuse square. Starr Pl. XXII, No. 6. *clear Fine* 165.
11. **Paphlagonia, Sinope.** AR Drachm (4.99 gm) 322-300 B.C. Hd. of Sinope 1., wearing sphen-done. Rev: ΣΙΝΩ. Sea-eagle on dolphin 1. ΑΡΡΕ behind eagle. BMC 11. *nearly Extremely Fine* 275.
12. **Ionias, Ephesus.** AR Diobol (1.05 gm) 387-295 B.C. Bee with straight wings. Rev: Two stags' heads face to face. Very scarce. BMC 53. *Very Fine* 150.
13. **Islands Off Caria, Rhodes.** AR Didrachm (6.73 gm). 333/2-316 B.C. Hd. of Helios three-quarters r., hair loose. Rev: ΡΟΔΙΟΝ. Rose with bud on right, bunch of grapes and E to l. Nice style. SNG Von Aulock 2790. *good Very Fine* 550.
14. —, **Pseudo-Rhodes.** AR Drachm of Macedon, issued during the time of Perseus or Philip V. (2.71 gm). ca. 185-168 B.C. Hd. of Helios three-quarters facing, hair loose. Rev: Rose with bud on r.; above, magistrates name ΕΡΜΙΑΣ. NFA Auction IV, 316. *Fleur de coin* 275.
15. **Lydia, Croesus.** AR Stater (10.77 gm). 561-546 B.C. Foreparts of lion r. and bull l., face to face. Rev: Two small incuse squares, side by side. Rare. Babelon I, 408. *Very Fine* 1600.

16. **Pamphylia, Aspendus.** AR Stater (10.94 gm). 400-300 B.C. Two wrestlers facing each other, ΛΦ between them. Rev: ΕΣΤΦΕΔΙΙΤΣ. Slinger discharging sling r.; in field to r., triskeles of human legs. BMC 35. about Very Fine/Very Fine 200.
17. —, *Aspendus.* AR Stater (10.52 gm) 275-250 B.C. Two wrestlers facing each other, ΠΟ between them. Rev: ΕΣΤΦΕΔΙΤC. Slinger discharging sling r.; in field to r., forepart of horned horse over wreath. Excessively rare and of excellent style. SNG Cop. 246. *gd Very Fine* 1000.
18. **Cilicia, Tarsus.** AR Stater (10.11 gm). Datames 378-372 B.C. Facing hd. of nymph turned very slightly to the l., hair flowing freely. Rev: Phoenician inscription. Bearded hd. of Ares r. wearing crested helmet ornamented with palmette. Minor flan break. SNG Von Aulock 5937. *Fine Plus/Very Fine* 275.
19. **Cyprus, Salamis.** AR Tetrobol (3.05 gm). Euagoras I 411-374/3 B.C. Nude Herakles std. r. on rock covered by lion's skin, holding club and horn; Cypriot legend. Rev: Goat lying r. inscription around. Rare. BMC 57. *Very Fine* 225.
20. **Judaea, Bar Cochba Revolt.** AR Denarius (3.38 gm). Attributed to yr. 3, 134/135 A.D. Bunch of grapes with Hebrew inscription around. Rev: Elongated lyre of three strings, inscription around. Meshorer 209c. *Very Fine* 375.
21. **Achaemenid Persia, Darius.** AR Siglos (5.57 gm). 521-485 B.C. King r. in running-kneeling attitude holding bow and spear. Rev: Irregular oblong incuse. Noe (NNM 136) Group VIII. *Very Fine* 60.
22. **Ptolemaic Egypt, Ptolemy II Philadelphus.** AR Decadrachm (34.05 gm). Struck in the name of Arsinoe II. 284-247 B.C. Veiled hd. of Arsinoe II r. wearing stephane, horn behind ear., Ξ behind head. Rev: ΑΡΣΙΝΟΗΣ ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ. Filleted double cornucopiae with two grape clusters. Weak strike. BMC 16. *Fine* 475.
23. —, *Ptolemy III.* AR Tetradrachm of Cyprus (14.15 gm). 247-222 B.C. Diademed hd. of Ptolemy r. with aegis. Rev: ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ. Eagle stg. l. on thunderbolt, shield and monogram in field. BMC 1. Banker's punch mark on neck. *Extremely Fine* 375.
24. —, *Ptolemy V Epiphanes.* AR Didrachm (7.0 gm). Phoenician mint 204-181 B.C. Diademed hd. of Ptolemy V r. with aegis. Rev: ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ. Eagle stg. l. on thunderbolt, across field date Π-ΙΓ (yr. 113 of the Ptolemaic era), E between legs of eagle. Very scarce. Svoronos 1226, Pl. XXXVIII, 25. *Very Fine* 175.

ROMAN REPUBLIC

25. **Roman Republic.** AR Quadrigatus (6.64 gm). 222-205 B.C. Hd. of Janus laur. with side curls; on top of head, two small annulets; large flan. Rev: Jupiter hurling thunderbolt and holding sceptre; behind him, Victory in fast quadriga r.; below ROMA (incuse letters on raised tablet). Syd. 64a. *Fine Plus* 250.
26. **M. Atilius Saranus.** AR Denarius. 148 B.C. SARAV. Helmeted hd. of Roma r., X before. Rev: M. ATIL ROMA. Dioscuri on horseback r. Crawford 214/1a. Syd. 398. *Extremely Fine* 150.
27. **A. Spurius.** AR Denarius. 139 B.C. Helmeted hd of Roma r.; behind, X. Rev: A. SPVRI, ROMA. Luna in biga r., holding reins and goad. Crawford 230/1. Syd. 448. *Very Fine Plus* 100.
28. **Sextus Pompeius.** AR Denarius. 137 B.C. Helmeted hd. of Roma r.; behind, jug; before, X. Rev: FOSTLVSEX. PO ROMA. She-wolf r., suckling twins. Fig-tree with birds on branches, behind; on l., Faustulus. Crawford 235/1c. Syd. 461a. *Superb* 175.
29. **Q. Metellus.** AR Denarius. 130 B.C. Q. METE, helmeted hd. of Roma r. Rev: ROMA, Jupiter in quadriga r., holding reins and thunderbolt in l. hand and branch in r. hand. Crawford 256/1. Syd. 486b. *Superb* 175.
30. **Cn. Domitius.** AR Denarius. 128 B.C. Helmeted hd. of Roma r.; behind, corn-ear. Rev: ROMA CN. DOM. Victory in biga r. holding reins and whip, man fighting lion below. Crawford 261/1. Syd. 514. *Extremely Fine* 150.

31. **Anonymous Issue.** AR Denarius. 128 B.C. Helmeted hd. of Roma r. Rev: ROMA, goddess in biga r., holds sceptre, reins and branch. Below, elephant's head with bell attached. Crawford 262/1. Syd. 496. *Extremely Fine* 150.
32. **L. Marcius Philippus.** AR Denarius. 113/112 B.C. Male hd. r. (Philip V of Macedon), wearing helmet with goat's horns, on which rests diadem. Monogram in field. Rev: L. PHILIPPVS, Equestrian statue r., rider holding laurel branch. Crawford 293/1. Syd. 551. *Very Fine* 75.
33. **L. Piso L.f. L.n. Frugi.** AR Denarius. 90 B.C. Laureate hd. of Apollo l., Σ behind. Rev: L. PISO FRVGI ROMA. Naked horseman galloping r. Crawford 340/1. Syd. 657. High relief. *Very Fine* 125.
34. —. AR Denarius. Laur. hd. of Apollo r.; behind, ⊙. Rev: L. PISO. L. F. FRVG. Naked horseman r. carrying palm-branch; above, Γ. Crawford 340/1. *Extremely Fine* 150.
35. **M. Cato.** AR Denarius. 89 B.C. ROMA, M. CΛO. Female bust r., draped, hair tied with band. Rev: VIC TRIX. Victory std. r., holding patera and palm-branch. Crawford 343/1b. Syd. 597. Some flatness. *Extremely Fine* 225.
36. **Cn. Lentulus.** AR Denarius. 88 B.C. Helmeted bust of Mars, seen from behind, with head turned to r., spear and sword over shoulder. Rev: CN. LENTVL. Victory in biga r., holding wreath. Crawford 345/1. Syd. 702. *Extremely Fine/Very Fine* 85.
37. **M. Fannius and L. Critonius.** AR Denarius. 86 B.C. AED. PL. Bust of Ceres draped r. Rev: PA, M. FAN. L. CRϘ. M. Fannius and L. Critonius. togate, std. r. on subsellium, corn-ear to r. Crawford 351/1. Syd. 717. Rare. *Both obv. and rev. types allude to the moneyer's functions in connection with corn-distributions.* *good Very Fine* 425.
38. **L. Censorinus, P. Crepusius, C. Limetanus.** AR Denarius. 82 B.C. L. CENSORIN. Bust of Venus r., draped and wearing diadem and veil. Rev: C. LIMEA, P. CREPVSΙ, I-CL. Venus in biga r. holding goad. Crawford 360/1. Syd. 736 a. *Extremely Fine* 175.
39. **C. Annius T.f. T.n.** AR Denarius. 82-81 B.C. C. ANNI. T. F. T. N. PRO. COS. EX. S. C. around. Female bust r., draped and wearing diadem; before, scales; behind, winged caduceus; below, sword. Rev: L. FABI. L. F. HISP.; above, Q. Victory in quadriga r. Crawford 366/1a. Syd. 748. *Very Fine Plus* 150.
40. **Q. Caecilius Metellus Pius.** AR Denarius. 81 B.C. Hd. of Pietas r., wearing diadem; before, stork. Rev: Q. C. M. P. I. Elephant with bell hanging from neck walking l. Crawford 374/1. Syd. 750. *Very Fine* 125.
41. **L. Farsuleius Mensor.** AR Denarius. 75 B.C. MENSOR S. C. Bust of Libertas r., draped and wearing diadem; behind, cup. Rev: L. FARSVLEI. Warrior holding spear and reins in biga r., assisting togate figure into biga. Crawford 392/1a. Syd. 789. *about Extremely Fine* 125.
42. **P. Sulpicius Galba.** AR Denarius. 69 B.C. S. C. Hd. of Vesta r., wearing veil. Rev: AE CVR P. GALB. Knife, culullus and axe. Crawford 406/1. Syd. 839. *Extremely Fine* 150.
43. **C. Hosidius C.f. Geta.** AR Denarius. 68 B.C. GETA III VIR. Draped bust of Diana r. with bow and quiver over shoulder. Rev: C. HOSIDI. C. F. Boar r., wounded by spear and attacked by hound. Crawford 407/2. Syd. 903. *Extremely Fine* 275.
44. **M. Plaetorius M.f. Cestianus.** AR Denarius. 67 B.C. CESTIANVS S. C. Bust r., draped and with attributes of Isis, Minerva, Apollo, Diana and Victory; before, cornucopiae. Rev: M. PLAETORIVS. M. F. AED. CVR. Eagle stg. on thunderbolt, hd. turned l. Crawford 409/1. Syd. 809. *Extremely Fine* 250.
45. **Q. Pomponius Musa.** AR Denarius. 66 B.C. Laur. hd. of Apollo r., hair rolled back and in loose locks over forehead; behind, sceptre. Rev: Q. POMPONI MVSA. Melpomene facing, wearing long flowing tunic and holding club and tragic mask. Crawford 410/4. Syd. 814. Rare. *The representations of Hercules Musagetes and of the nine muses are no doubt intended to refer to the cognomen of the moneyer. Melpomene, the Muse of Tragedy, along with her sisters, sang and danced at the festivities of the gods. It is possible that Melpomene here was copied directly from her statue in the temple of Hercules and the Nine Muses.* *about Extremely Fine* 550.

46. **L. Aemilius Lepidus Paullus.** AR Denarius. 62 B.C. PAVLLVS. LEPIDVS. CONCORDIA. Hd. of Concordia r., veiled and diademed. Rev: TER PAVLLVS. Trophy; on r. togate figure of L. Aem. Paullus; on l., King Perseus and his two sons. Crawford 415/1. Syd. 926.
about Extremely Fine 125.
47. **L. Scribonius Libo.** AR Denarius. 62 B.C. LIBO. BON. EVENT. Hd. of Bonus Eventus r., with broad diadem. Rev: PVTEAL SCRIBON. Puteal with festoon between two lyres. Crawford 416/1b. Syd. 928.
Extremely Fine 175.
48. **M. Nonius Sufenas.** AR Denarius. 59 B.C. SVFENAS S.C. Hd. of Saturn r.; behind, harpa and oval object. Rev: SEX. NONI PR. L.V.P.F. Roma std. l. on pile of arms, holding spear and sword; crowned by Victory who stands behind her. Uncleaned. Crawford 421/1. Syd. 885.
Extremely Fine 150.
49. **M. Aemilius Scaurus and P. Hypsaeus.** AR Denarius. 58 B.C. SCAR AED. CVR EX-S.C. REX ARETAS. King Aretas kneeling r., holding camel and olive-branch. Rev: P. HYPSAE AED. CVR. CAPTV.; in ex., C. HYPSAE COS. PRIEVE. Jupiter in quadriga l. hurling thunderbolt. Crawford 422/1b. Syd. 913.
Extremely Fine 175.
50. **L. Marcius Philippus.** AR Denarius. 56 B.C. ANCVS. Hd. of Ancus Marcius r., wearing diadem; behind, lituus. Rev: PHILIPPVS. Equestrian statue on aqueduct; inscription AQVAMARC within arches. Crawford 425/1. Syd. 919a.
about Extremely Fine 150.
51. **Faustus Cornelius Sulla.** AR Denarius. 56 B.C. FAVSTVS. Bust of Diana r., draped and diademed; above, crescent; behind, lituus. Rev: FELIX. Sulla std. l.; on l., Bocchus kneeling and holding olive-branch; on r., Jugurtha kneeling with hands tied behind back. Crawford 426/1. Syd. 879. Rare. Large flan. *This reverse type illustrates one of the earliest and most remarkable events in the life of Sulla, the submission of Bocchus, King of Mauretania, and his surrender to Sulla of Jugurtha, King of Numidia (106 B.C.). The scene was depicted on a gold tablet set up by Bocchus in Rome and on Sulla's seal ring whose design was no doubt copied for Sulla's denarius.*
about Extremely Fine 550.
52. **C. Memmius C.f.** AR Denarius. 56 B.C. QVIRINVS C. MEMMI. C.F. Laur. hd. of Quirinus r. with long hair and beard. Rev: MEMMIVS AED. CERIALIA. PREIMVS FECIT. Ceres std. r., holding corn-ears and torch; at her feet, serpent. Crawford 427/2. Syd. 921. Rev. uncleaned.
about Extremely Fine 200.
53. **Q. Cassius Longinus.** AR Denarius. 55 B.C. Q. CASSIVS VEST. Hd. of Vesta r., veiled and diademed. Rev: Domed temple of Vesta surmounted by stg. figure; within, curule chair; on l., voting urn; on r., tabella inscribed AC. Crawford 428/1. Syd. 917. *about Extremely Fine* 225.
54. —. AR Denarius. 55 B.C. Hd. of Genius populi Romani r., with sceptre over shoulder. Rev: Q. CASSIVS. Eagle stg. r. on thunderbolt; on l., lituus; on r., jug with handle. Crawford 428/3. Syd. 916.
Very Fine 150.
55. **P. Fonteius P.f. Capito.** AR Denarius. 55 B.C. P. FONTEIVS P.F. CAPITO III VIR. Helmeted and draped bust of Mars r., with slight beard; to l., trophy. Rev: M. FON. TR. MIL. Horseman r., thrusting spear at warrior below who is about to drive sword through unarmed captive. Crawford 429/1. Syd. 900. Banker's test punch on helmet.
Very Fine Plus 200.
56. **Q. Pompeius Rufus.** AR Denarius. 54 B.C. Q. POMPEI. Q. F RVFVS. Curule chair; on l., arrow; on r., laurel branch. COS below on tablet. Rev: SVLLA COS.; below on tablet, Q. POMPEI. RVF. Curule chair; on l., lituus; on r., wreath. Crawford 434/2. Syd. 909.
Extremely Fine 225.
57. **C. Coelius Calvus.** AR Denarius. 51 B.C. C. COEL. CALDVS COS. Bare hd. of consul r.; on l. vexillum inscribed HIS; on r., standard in form of boar. Rev: C. CALDVS IMP. A.X. CADV. III VIR. Std. figure on lectisternium inscribed L. CALDVS VII VR ERV; trophy at each end. Crawford 437/2a. Syd. 894. Graffito in field. Rare.
Very Fine 300.
58. **Q. Sicinius.** AR Denarius. 49 B.C. FORT/P.R. Hd. of Fortuna populi Romani r., wearing diadem. Rev: Q. SICINIVS / III VIR. Palm-branch tied with fillet and winged caduceus, in saltire; above, wreath. Crawford 440/1. Syd. 938.
Extremely Fine 175.
59. **Mn. Acilius Glabrio.** AR Denarius. 49 B.C. SALVTIS. Laur. hd. of Salus r., Rev: M. ACILIVS III. VIR. VALEV. Valetudo stg. l., resting arm on column and holding snake in r. hand. Crawford 442/1a. Some flatness.
Superb 150.





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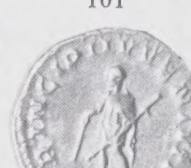
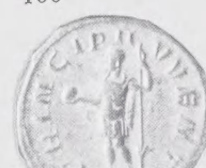
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60. **C. Julius Caesar.** AR Denarius. 49-48 B.C. Caesar's camp mint. Pontifical emblems. Rev: CAESAR in exergue, elephant r. trampling dragon. Crawford 443/1. Syd. 1006. *Extremely Fine* 275.
61. **Q. Sicinius and C. Coponius.** AR Denarius. 49 B.C. Mint moving with Pompey. Q. SICINIVS III. VIR. Hd. of Apollo r., hair tied with band, star below. Rev: C. COPONIVS PR. S.C. Club upright, on which hangs lion's skin (hd. in profile); on l., arrow; on r., bow. Crawford 444/1a. Syd. 939. Slightly off-center. *Extremely Fine* 250.
62. **L. Hostilius Saserna.** AR Denarius. 48 B.C. Hd. of Gallia r., with long hair; behind, carnyx. Rev: L. HOSTILIVS SASERNA. Artemis facing, holding spear in l. hand and placing r. hand on hd. of stag. Crawford 448/3. Syd. 953. *Extremely Fine* 250.
63. **Albinus Bruti F.** AR Denarius. 48 B.C. PIETAS. Hd. of Pietas r. Rev: ALBINVS. BRVTI.F. Two hands clasped around caduceus. Crawford 450/2. Syd. 942. *Extremely Fine* 175.
64. **L. Plautius Plancus.** AR Denarius. 47 B.C. L. PLAVTIVS. Hd. of Medusa facing, with coiled snake on either side. Rev: PLANCVS. Victory facing, holding palm-branch in l. hand and leading four horses. Crawford 453/1a. Syd. 959a. *Very Fine Plus* 350.
65. **A. Licinius Nerva.** AR Denarius. ca. 47 B.C. FIDES, NERVA. Laur. hd. of Fides r. Rev: A. LICINIV. III VIR. Horseman galloping r., with r. hand dragging naked warrior who holds shield and sword. Crawford 454/1. Syd. 954b. *Very Fine Plus* 150.
66. **C. Julius Caesar.** AR Denarius. 47-46 B.C. African mint. Diademed hd. of Venus r. wearing necklace, hair in knot. Rev: CAESAR. Aeneas l. carrying palladium in r. hand and Anchises on l. shoulder. Crawford 458/1. Syd. 1013. *about Extremely Fine* 350.
67. **Mn. Cordius Rufus.** AR Denarius. 46 B.C. RVFVS III. VIR. Jugate hds. of Dioscuri r., each wearing laur. pileus surmounted by star. Rev: M. CORDIVS. Venus Verticordia stg. l., holding scales and sceptre; behind her, Cupid. Crawford 463/1a. Syd. 976. *good Extremely Fine* 200.
68. —. RVFVS S.C. Diademed hd. of Venus r., wearing cruciform earring; hair tied in knot. Rev: M. CORDIVS. Cupid std. on dolphin r. Crawford 463/3. Syd. 977. *Superb* 225.
69. **T. Carisius.** AR Denarius. 46 B.C. Hd. of Sibyl r., hair in bandeau. Rev: T. CARISIVS III. VIR. Sphinx std. r. Crawford 464/1. Syd. 983. Little wear but weak strike. Rare. *good Very Fine* 125.
70. —. Draped bust of Victory r., wearing separate cruciform earring and necklace; hair tied in knot; on l. S.C. Rev: T. CARISI. Victory in quadriga r., holding wreath. Crawford 464/5. Syd. 985. *Extremely Fine* 150.
71. **L. Valerius Acisculus.** ACISCVLVS. Hd. of Apollo r., hair tied with band; behind acisculus. Rev: L. VALERIVS. Europa std. on bull r., holding veil. Crawford 474/1a. Syd. 998. *Very Fine Plus* 200.
72. **C. Julius Caesar.** AR Denarius. Issued by the moneyer P. Sepullius Macer. Ca. 44 B.C. CAESAR IMPER. Laureate hd. of Caesar r. Rev: P. SEPVLLIVS MACER. Venus Victrix stg. l., holding Victory and leaning on sceptre which is resting on a star. Crawford 480/18. Syd. 1070. Excellent portrait and bold strike. Rare. *bold Very Fine* 850.
73. —. AR Denarius. Moneyer - P. Sepullius Macer. ca. 44 B.C. CAESAR DICT. PERPETVO. Hd. of Caesar r., laur. and veiled. Rev: P. SEPVLLIVS MACER. Venus stg. l., holding Victory and sceptre; below sceptre, shield. Crawford 480/13. Syd. 1074. Usual flatness. Rare. *about Extremely Fine* 650.
74. —. AR Denarius. Moneyer - L. Aemilius Buca. ca. 44 B.C. CAESAR DICT. PERPETVO. Laur. hd. of Caesar r. Rev: L. BVCA. Venus std. r., holding Victory and sceptre. Crawford 480/7b. Syd. 1062. Obv. banker's test punches but clear portrait. Rare. *About Fine* 225.
75. **Mark Antony.** AR Denarius. ca. 42 B.C. M. ANTON. IMP. Bare hd. of Antony r. Rev: CAESAR DIC. Laur. hd. of Caesar r.; on l., jug. Crawford 488/1. Syd. 1165. Rev. off-center. *weak Very Fine* 375.

76. **Mark Antony and Octavia.** AR Cistophorus (11.43 gm) ca. 39 B.C. M. ANTONIVS IMP. COS. DESIG. ITER. ET TERT. Hds. of Antony and Octavia conjoined r.; he wears ivy-wreath. Rev: IIIVIR. R.P.C. Cista mystica surmounted by figure of Bacchus stg. l., holding cup and leaning on long staff; on either side, coiled serpent. Syd. 1198. *clear Fine/Very Good* 175.
77. **Mark Antony and Cleopatra VII.** 32-31 B.C. AR Tetradrachm of Antioch. (13.77 gm). ANTΩNIOC ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΩΡ ΤΡΙΤΩΝ ΑΝΔΡΩΝ. Hd. of M. Antonius r., bare. ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΑ ΚΛΕΟΠΗΤΡΑ ΘΕΑ ΝΕΩΤΕΡΑ. Bust of Cleopatra r., wearing diadem, earring, pearl necklace, and dress embroidered in front with pearls; hair adorned with pearls. BMC 53. Clear legends and portraits. Very rare. *Very Good* 400.
78. **Octavian.** AR Denarius. Gaul. 40 B.C. Struck with moneyer Q. Salvius. C. CAESAR III VIR. R.P.C. Hd. of Octavian r., bare, with slight beard. Rev: Q. SALVIVS IMP. COS. DESG. Winged thunderbolt. Crawford 523/1b. Syd. 1326. Some flatness. *about Very Fine* 125.
79. **Augustus.** AR Denarius of Lugdunum. 27 B.C. - 14 A.D. Bare hd. of Augustus r. Rev: IMP. X (in ex.). Bull charging r. RIC 327. Cohen 136. Obv. Banker's test punch. Bold strike. *Very Fine* 135.
80. —. AR Denarius. Laureate hd. of Augustus r. Rev: C.L. CAESARES (in ex.) AVGUSTI. F. COS. DESIG. PRINC. IVVENT. Gaius and Lucius Caesars stg. facing, each holding spear and shield. In field, simpulum and lituus. RIC 350. Cohen 43. Good style. *good Very Fine* 180.
81. —. AR Denarius. Type similar to the above. Some obv. flatness. *Fine* 80.
82. **Tiberius.** AR Denarius. 14 - 37 A.D. Hd. of Tiberius laur. r. Rev: PONTIF MAXIM. Female figure (Livia) std. r., holding branch and long sceptre; feet resting on footstool; legs of chair ornamented. RIC 3. Cohen 16. Rev. edge nicks. Excellent style. *Said to be the "Tribute Penny" of the Bible. Extremely Fine* 250.
83. —. AR Denarius. Similar type to the above. *Very Fine* 135.
84. —. AR Denarius. Similar to the above. *Fine* 65.
85. **Claudius.** AR Didrachm of Caesarea in Cappadocia. (6.91 gm). ca. 46 A.D. TI. CLAVD. CAESAR. AVG. GERM. P.M. TR. P. Laur. hd. of Claudius l. Rev: S.P.Q.R. OB CIVES SERVATOS in three lines in oak wreath. BMC 240. Very scarce. *Fine Plus* 135.
86. **Vitellius.** AR Denarius. 69 A.D. Hd. of Vitellius laur. r. Rev: CONCORDIA P.R. Concordia std. l., holding patera and cornucopiae. RIC 2. Cohen 36. Very clear portrait with full legends but light scratches in field. *good Fine* 125.
87. —. AR Denarius. Hd. of Vitellius laur. r. Rev: S.P.Q.R. OB C.S. in three lines in oak-wreath. RIC 22. Cohen 86. *Fine* 110.
88. **Vespasian.** AR Denarius. 75 A.D. Hd. of Vespasian laur. r. Rev: PON. MAX. TR. P. COS. VI. Pax std. l., holding branch. RIC 90. Cohen 366. *nearly Extremely Fine* 125.
89. —. AR Denarius. 69-71 A.D. Hd. of Vespasian laur. r. Rev: CAESAR AVG. F. COS. CAESAR AVG. F. PR. Hds. of Titus and Domitian, l. and r., facing one another. RIC 2. Cohen 5. Very scarce. *Very Good* 65.
90. **Trajan.** AR Denarius. 101-102 A.D. Hd. of Trajan laur. r. Rev: P.M. TR.P. COS. IIII. P.P. Victory stg. r., foot on helmet, inscribing shield which rests on base. RIC 65. Cohen 246. *Extremely Fine* 175.
91. —. AR Denarius. 103-111 A.D. Bust of Trajan r., laur. and draped. Rev: DANVVIVS (in ex.) COS. V. P.P. S.P.Q.R. OPTIMO PRINC. The Danube reclining l. on rocks, his l. arm resting on urn, his r. on ship's prow; cloak floating above. RIC 100. Cohen 136. Obv. dig. Scarce. *about Very Fine* 75.
92. **Faustina Sr.** AR Denarius. Died 141 A.D. Bust of Faustina draped r., hair waved and curled on top of head. Rev: PIETAS AVG. Pietas veiled stg. l., dropping incense on altar and holding box. RIC 394a. Cohen 234. *Extremely Fine* 100.
93. **Antoninus Pius and Marcus Aurelius.** AR Denarius. 140 A.D. ANTONINVS AVG. PIVS. P.P. TR. P. COS. III. Laureate hd. of Antoninus r. Rev: AVRELIVS CAESAR AVG. PIIIF. COS. Bare hd. of Aurelius r. RIC 417. Cohen 15. Scarce. *about Very Fine* 125.

94. **Antoninus Pius.** AR Posthumous Denarius. 138-161 A.D. Struck under Marcus Aurelius. DIVVS ANTONINVS. Bare hd. of Antoninus r. Rev: CONSECRATIO. Pyre of four tiers, decorated with hangings and garlands, surmounted by quadriga. RIC 436. Cohen 164.
good Very Fine 60.
95. **Commodus.** AR Denarius. 186-7 A.D. M. COMM. ANT. P. FEL. AVG. BRIT. Hd. of Commodus laur. r. Rev: HILAR. AVG. P.M. TR.P. XII. IMP. VIII COS. V P.P. Hilaritas stg. 1., holding branch and long palm. RIC. 150a. Cohen 212.
Very Fine Plus 150.
96. **Elagabalus.** AR Denarius. 218-222 A.D. Laureate and draped bust of Elagabalus r. Rev: FELICITAS TEMP. Ship with sail and seven oarsmen and pilot. RIC 188. Cohen 27. Rare.
Extremely Fine 375.
97. **Julia Maesa.** AR Denarius. Died 235 A.D. Draped bust of Julia Maesa r. Rev: SAECVLI FELICITAS. Felicitas stg. 1., holding long caduceus and sacrificing over altar. RIC 271. Cohen 45. Interesting portrait.
about Extremely Fine 50.
98. **Gordian III.** AR Antoninianus. 238-244 A.D. Radiate and draped bust of Gordian r. Rev: PROVIDENTIA AVG. Providence stg. 1. holding sceptre and globe. RIC 4. Cohen 302.
about Extremely Fine 40.
99. **Otacilia Severa.** AR Antoninianus. 148-149 A.D. Diademed and draped bust r., on crescent. Rev: CONCORDIA AVGG. Concord std. 1. holding patera and cornucopiae. RIC 129. Cohen 16.
Very Fine 40.
100. **Philip II.** AR Antoninianus. 244-46 A.D. Radiate and draped bust r. Rev: PRINCIPI IVVENT. Philip II stg. 1., holding globe and spear. Cohen 48.
Very Fine Plus 35.
101. **Herennius Etruscus.** AR Antoninianus. Caesar 250-251 A.D. Radiate and draped bust r. Rev: PRINCIPI IVVENTVTIS. Herennius stg. 1., holding rod and spear. RIC 147c. Cohen 26. Scarce.
Very Fine 135.
102. **Trebonianus Gallus.** Antoninianus. 251-253 A.D. Radiate bust r., draped and cuirassed. Rev: MARTEM PROPVGNATOREM. Mars advancing r., holding spear and shield. Cohen 70. Silvered.
Extremely Fine/Very Fine Plus 25.
103. **Volusian.** AR Antoninianus. 251-253 A.D. Radiate and cuirassed bust r. Rev: ADVENTVS AVG. Volusian on horseback l., carrying sceptre and raising r. hand. Cohen 2. A bit rough.
Very Fine Plus 30.
104. **Mariniana.** AR Antoninianus. 253-260 A.D. Veiled and draped bust r., resting on crescent. Rev: CONSECRATIO. Mariniana std. 1. on peacock which is flying r. RIC 6. Cohen 14. Good silver. Usual weak rev. strike. Rare.
about Extremely Fine/Very Fine 175.
105. **Gallienus.** AR Antoninianus. 253-268 A.D. GALLIENVVS P.F. Avg. Radiate and cuirassed bust l., holding sceptre over r. shoulder. Rev: VIRT GALLIENI AVG. Emperor walking r., treading down enemy. RIC 54. Good silver. Very scarce.
Extremely Fine/Very Fine 125.
106. **Salonina.** Antoninianus. Died 268 A.D. Diademed and draped bust r., resting on crescent. Rev: AEQUITAS AVG. Aequitas stg. 1., holding scales and cornucopiae; below, VIIC. RIC 87. Silvered.
Extremely Fine 35.
107. **Postumus.** AR Antoninianus. 259-268 A.D. Radiate and draped bust r. Rev: VICTORIA AVG. Victory walking l., holding wreath and palm; at foot, captive. RIC 89.
Extremely Fine/Very Fine 25.
108. **Macrianus.** Antoninianus. 260-261 A.D. Radiate bust of Macrianus r., draped and cuirassed. Rev: ROMAE AETERNAE. Roma std. 1. on shield holding Victory and spear. RIC 11. Silvered. Usual weak strike.
Extremely Fine 175.
109. **Aurelian.** Antoninianus. 270-275 A.D. Radiate bust of Aurelian r., cuirassed and draped. Rev: ORIENS AVG. Sol stg. 1.; two captives at feet. RIC 278. Silvered.
Very Fine 15.
110. **Vabalathus and Aurelian.** Antoninianus. 271-272 A.D. Laureate bust of Vabalathus r., draped and cuirassed; below, S. Rev: Radiate and cuirassed bust of Aurelian r.; below S. Cohen 1. Silvered and better strike than usual.
Extremely Fine 100.

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| 111. Probus , Antoninianus. 276-282 A.D. Radiate, cuirassed and draped bust of Probus r., Rev: ADVENTVS PROBI AVG. Probus on horseback l., raising r. hand; captive std. in front. RIC. 161. Silvered. | <i>good Extremely Fine</i> | 45. |
| 112. Carus , Antoninianus. 282-283 A.D. Radiate and draped bust of Carus r. Rev: VICTORIA AVG. Victory adv. l., holding wreath and palm; below, G. RIC 120 var. | <i>Very Fine</i> | 25. |
| 113. Numerian , Antoninianus. 282-283 A.D. Radiate and draped bust of Numerian r. Rev: PROVIDENT AVG. Annona stg. l., holding corn ears and cornucopiae; modius at feet. RIC. 446. Cohen 82. | <i>good Very Fine</i> | 15. |
| 114. Carinus , Antoninianus. 283-285 A.D. Radiate and cuirassed bust of Carinus r. Rev: FIDES MILITVM. Fides stg. l., holding two standards; below, KAE. RIC 253. Silvered. | <i>Extremely Fine/Very Fine</i> | 40. |
| 115. Diocletian , Antoninianus. 284-305 A.D. Radiate and draped bust of Diocletian r. Rev: IOVI CONSERVAT AVG. Jupiter stg. l., holding thunderbolt and sceptre. Cohen 214. Silvered. | <i>Extremely Fine</i> | 35. |
| 116. Constantine I . AE 3. 307-337 A.D. Arles mint. Helmeted and cuirassed bust of Constantine r. Rev: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP. Two Victories resting shield inscribed VOT PR on altar. Cohen 643. Fully silvered and of excellent style. Scarce. | <i>Superb</i> | 85. |
| 117. Constantius II . AR Siliqua. 337-361 A.D. Sirmium mint. Diademed and draped bust of Constantius II r. Rev: VOTIS XXX MVLTIS XXXX in four lines within wreath; below SIRM. Cohen 343. | <i>Very Fine Plus</i> | 150. |
| 118. Julian II . AR Siliqua. 360-363 A.D. Constantinople mint. Bare-headed and draped bust of the young Julian r. Rev: VOTIS V MVLTIS X in four lines within laurel wreath; below, TCON. Cohen 154. Lovely specimen. | <i>Superb</i> | 275. |
| 119. Valens . AR Siliqua. 364-378 A.D. Trier mint. Diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Valens r. Rev: VRBS ROMA. Roma std. l., holding Victory and scepter; below, TRPS. Cohen 109. Bold. | <i>good Very Fine</i> | 125. |

A HOARD OF GORDIAN III

The time of Gordian reflects the struggle between the diminishing power of the Senate and the growing influence of the army. In the year 238 the Senate opposed four emperors to the usurper Maximinus, but after he was killed by his troops the Praetorians murdered the senatorial appointees, Balbinus and Pupienus. The child Gordian was declared Augustus by the unanimous voice of the Praetorians and the Senate. As a "unification" candidate Gordian sought to offend neither faction and authorized a neutral coinage with types depicting the various gods and personifications with only a few military types. *Average VF specimens15.00*



A HOARD OF TREBONIANUS GALLUS

Gallus, possibly the assassin of his predecessor Trajan Decius, was elevated to the throne by the army. His reign (251-253) was troubled by invasions on the northern and eastern frontiers as well as a devastating plague. The chaos of the middle third century doomed the bi-metallic system of coinage. Gallus was the first of many successive emperors who eased the economic strain of the military budget by reducing the silver content of the antoninianus, ultimately debasing it to a mere silver-washed bronze coin. *Superb, fully-silvered, well-struck specimens . . .22.50*



BARGAIN LIST

B1. Calabria, Tarentum. AR Drachm. 473-450 B.C. Sea horse/Nymph. Rare.	<i>ab F</i>	75.
B2. —, —. AR Didrachm. 272-235 B.C. Horseman/Taras.	<i>VF</i>	135.
B3. Lucania, Sybaris. AR Third Stater. ca. 500 B.C. Bull/Bull incuse. Chipped.	<i>F</i>	75.
B4. —. Thurium. AR Stater. 400-300 B.C. Athena/Bull.	<i>F</i>	95.
B5. Sicily, Syracuse. AR Obol. 485-479 B.C. Female hd./Wheel. Chipped.	<i>VF</i>	50.
B6. Macedon, Alexander III. AR Tetradrachm. 336-323 B.C. Herakles/Zeus.	<i>Bold F</i>	125.
B7. —, —. AR Tetradrachm. Herakles/Zeus. Test cut.	<i>VF Plus</i>	100.
B8. Corinthia, Corinth. AR Stater. ca. 350 B.C. Pegasos/Athena.	<i>F Plus</i>	95.
B9. —, —. AR Drachm Pegasos/Aphrodite.	<i>VG</i>	15.
B10. Achaean League. AR Hemidrachm. ca. 275 B.C. Zeus/Monogram.	<i>VF</i>	35.
B11. Pontus, Amisus. AR Drachm. 400-300 B.C. Tyche/Owl.	<i>F/EF</i>	70.
B12. Lesbos. Billion Obol. ca. 500 B.C. Cow's hd./Lion.	<i>VG</i>	25.
B13. Ionia, Ephesus. AR Hemidrachm. ca. 250-200 B.C. Artemis/Stag.	<i>F</i>	35.
B14. Ionia, Miletus. AR 1 1/2 Drachm. After 190 B.C. Apollo/Lion.	<i>F/ab VF</i>	85.
B15. —, —. AR Obol. ca. 350 B.C. Lion l./Lion facing.	<i>gd VF</i>	45.
B16. Caria, Cnidus. AR Drachm. ca. 500 B.C. Lion/Aphrodite.	<i>ab F</i>	140.
B17. —, —. AR light Drachm. 300-190 B.C. Artemis/Tripod.	<i>G/F Plus</i>	60.
B18. Lycia, Aperlae. AR Trihemionbol. ca. 475 B.C. Dolphins/Triskeles. Rare.	<i>ab VF</i>	125.
B19. Pamphylia, Aspendus. AR Stater. ca. 350 B.C. Wrestlers/Slinger.	<i>F</i>	85.
B20. Pisidia, Selge. AR Obol. 400-300 B.C. Gorgon/Athena. Sm. chip.	<i>VF</i>	30.
B21. Cilicia, Tarsus. AR Obol. 400-300 B.C. Baal/Wolf.	<i>VF</i>	35.
B22. Cappadocia, Ariarathes. AR Drachm. 125-111 B.C. King/Athena.	<i>VG/F Plus</i>	25.
B23. Parthia, Arsaces I. AR Drachm. 238-211 B.C. Bust/Archer. Rare.	<i>gd F</i>	80.
B24. —, Mithradates II. AR Drachm. 123-88 B.C. Bust/Archer.	<i>VF Plus</i>	45.
B25. —, —. AR Drachm. Similar to above.	<i>VF/F</i>	30.
B26. —, Phraates IV. AR Drachm. 38-2 B.C. Bust/Archer.	<i>ab EF</i>	45.
B27. —, Vologases IV. AR Tetradrachm. 147-191 B.C. Bust/Tyche and King.	<i>F</i>	70.
B28. Sasanian, Shapur II. AR Dirhem. 309-379 A.D. Bust/Altar. Cracked.	<i>EF</i>	25.
B29. Bactria, Azes II. AR Drachm. 15 B.C. - 20 A.D. King/Athena.	<i>EF/VF</i>	35.
B30. Egypt, Ptolemy XIII. AR Tetradrachm. 81-52 B.C. King/Eagle.	<i>VF</i>	65.
B31. Zeugitana, Carthage. Æ 26. 241-146 B.C. Persephone/Horse. Silvered.	<i>VF</i>	80.
B32. Roman Republic, L. Cornelius Sulla. AR Denarius. 85 B.C. Venus/Double cornucopiae.	<i>VG</i>	40.
B33. Mn. Fonteius. c.f. AR Denarius. 84 B.C. Hd. r./Youth on goat.	<i>wk VF</i>	35.
B34. L. Julius Bursio. AR Denarius. 83 B.C. Genius/Triga. Flatness.	<i>VF</i>	30.
B35. C. Naevius Balbus. AR Denarius. 78-77 B.C. Juno/Triga. Chip.	<i>VF Plus</i>	30.
B36. Vespasian. AR 1/2 Drachm of Caesareia. 69-79 A.D. Bust/Victory.	<i>gd F</i>	30.
B37. Trajan. AR Denarius. 98-117 A.D. Hd./Via Traiana.	<i>gd F</i>	30.
B38. Hadrian. AR 1/2 Drachm of Caesareia. 117-138 A.D. Hd./Victory. Rev. scratch.	<i>VF</i>	25.
B39. Antoninus Pius. AR Denarius. 138-161 A.D. Hd./Altar.	<i>ab VF</i>	25.
B40. Septimius Severus. AR Denarius. 193-211 A.D. Bust/Salus.	<i>gd VF</i>	30.
B41. Caracalla. AR Denarius. 198-217 A.D. Bust/Captives.	<i>VF</i>	30.
B42. Julia Maesa. AR Denarius. d. 223 A.D. Bust/Juno.	<i>VF</i>	30.
B43. Gordian III. AR Antoninianus. 238-244 A.D. Bust/Aequitas.	<i>gd VF</i>	25.
B44. Philip I. AR Antoninianus. 244-249 A.D. Bust/Felicitas.	<i>ab EF</i>	30.
B45. Trajan Decius. AR Antoninianus. 249-251 A.D. Bust/Abundantia.	<i>VF</i>	30.
B46. Justinian I. AR Siliqua. 527-565 A.D. Carthage mint. Bust/Monogram. Rare.	<i>F</i>	55.
B47. Armenia, Hetoum I. and Zabel. AR Tram. 1226-1270 A.D. Cross/Lion walking.	<i>EF Plus</i>	60.

